

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

IN RE: AMARANTH NATURAL GAS
COMMODITIES LITIGATION

MASTER FILE NO.
07 CIV. 6377 (SAS)

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NOTICE OF MOTION TO DISMISS

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, that, upon the accompanying Memorandum of Law, Defendant Amaranth LLC (the “Master Fund”), by its undersigned attorneys, will move this Court, before the Honorable Shira A. Scheindlin, United States District Judge for the Southern District of New York, at the United States Courthouse, 500 Pearl Street, New York, New York, at a time and place to be determined by this Court, for an Order (a) dismissing with prejudice the claims asserted against it in Plaintiffs’ Corrected Consolidated Class Action Complaint pursuant to Rules 12(b)(6), 9(b), and 8(a) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure; and (b) granting such other relief as this Court deems just and proper.

The grounds for this motion are set forth in the memorandum of law filed by the Master Fund and Defendants Amaranth International Limited, Amaranth Capital Partners LLC, and Amaranth Partners LLC, all other pleadings and proceedings in this action,

such matters and facts of which the Court may take judicial notice, and any argument of counsel herein.

The Fund respectfully requests oral argument on this motion.

Dated: New York, New York
June 23, 2008

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Dharma Betancourt Frederick, an attorney admitted to practice in this District, hereby certify that on June 23, 2008, I caused a true copy of the foregoing Notice of Motion to Dismiss and the accompanying Memorandum of Law to be served on the individuals listed on the attached service list by the court's ECF system, or by electronic mail where ECF service was not available.

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